## WALL STREET NEWS

Prices Decline and Close at Lowest Point of the Day.

### TAFT'S MESSAGE DISAPPOINTS

Greater Firmness in Call Money May in Prices - Commerce Commission Given Greater Power in Dealing with Coal-carrying Roads.

New York, Jan. 10.-Daily changes in the prevailing market tendency have been frequent recently, and to-day's market proved no exception to the rule.

Prices were at the beginning of business about as they stood at the close of market on Saturday. At the end of the market on Saturday. At the end of the week, however, the market had risen for ic three days in succession; and even if the net gains made were small, they the net gains made were small, they the control of t were such as to invite profit-taking by Delaware & Hudson...
Denver & Rio G. com.

Therefore, to-day, shortly after the opening of the stock exchange session, Erie com. the instinctive movement of the market seemed to be to sag slowly to a lower level. Nevertheless, declines made before noon, although general, were by no means heavy, and the market from then on until the last half or three quarters Hide & Leather com. Hide & Leather pfd... of an hour of business was practically Inter. M. M. com ... The dullness in this period was so pro- Inter. Met. off...

nounced as to make transactions for the International Paper pfd .. first hours of business only about one-half those seen in the same length of time on most of the business days in the

Continued Weak to Close,

Finally and seemingly because of a gradually spreading conviction that the Norfolk & Western..... arket was being overhung by liquidation prices broke with no little violence N. Y. C. & H. R.... and continued weak until the end of the Pac. Coast Co .. day. Most of the active stocks closed at Pac. Mail Steam .. 

recession was a rather greater firmness in call money than had been looked for Pressed S. C., com... in call money than had been looked for, especially after last week's highly encouraging bank statement with its revelation of a surplus of nearly \$15,000,000 in Rock Is the actual figures of the bank return.

The bulk of the day's loans, however, St. L. S. W., com negotiated at 51/2 per cent, and no small So. cent. If funds were more freely offered by lenders than their more freely offered by lenders than the lenders that the lenders the lenders that the lenders that the lenders that the l amount of money was put out at 6 per by lenders than they were a week ago, Texas & Pacific. the demand for money appeared also to be decidedly increased; and it was said that applications to the money market Twin City R. T. by managers of syndicates, which had be the postponed their requirements for assistance until the present time, was one of the reasons for the increase in the destate the control of the mand for money noted. No doubt, Eng- U lish money lenders are not particularly U. anxious to extend their commitments, in Utah Copper view of the approaching parliamentary Va.-Car. Ch., com. Wabash, com. Wabash, pfd. Wassage a Disappointment. West, Union Tel.....

Presumably, too, to-day a certain amount of softness in the market was engendered through the general disanpointment expressed in financial circles Am. Tobacco 6s., over the character of President Taft's B. R. T. Conv. 4 that many of the President's recommendations, increasing the scope of govrement regulation of the country's Inter. Metro, 44s.

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the Supreme Court of the United States Union Pac. con. 4s .. in the case of the United States against the Illinois Central and other railroad turg Coal pfd., 1%; Distillers, 1/2. empanies had handed down a decision pholding in a sweeping way the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission to direct the distribution of cars in the interest of the independent coal carry-

No further details regarding the de- Bay State Gas. cision were available in Wall street dur-ing business hours, but the inference Chicago Subway...... had upheld the claim of the Interstate Gia Copper.... seemed to be that the Supreme Court Cobalt Central .. Commerce Commission to a much wider Gir control over railway management than Goldfield has hitherto been legally accorded.

## TREASURY STATEMENT.

escid com and pullion	\$150,000,000.00
Trust funds held for redemption of outstanding notes and certificates: Gold coin Süver dollars	\$876,834,869 00
Silver dollars of 1890	485,907,000 00
priver dollars of 1850	3,934,000 00
Total	1,366,675,869 00
General fund-	-
Gold coin	\$6,065,961 12
Gold certificates	78,408,143,00
Standard silver dollars	4.073.116 00
Silver certificates	11,268,331 00
United States notes	7,323,799 00
Treasury notes of 1890	12,613 00
National bank notes	1,722,319 00
Total	\$108,874,282 12
Deduct current liabilities	80,012,318 83
Working balance in Treasury offices.	\$28,861,963 20
In national bank depositaries	49,331,949 94
In Treasury of the Philippine Islands.	6,689,984,98
In Frenchity of the Competition Estateds,	0,003,384 38
Total	\$56,621,934 92
Deduct current liabilities	21,170,916 88
Balance in banks and in treasury of	
Philippine Islands	34,851,,018 04
In Treasury offices-	
Silver bullion, (at cost)	\$2,835,067 25
Subsidiary silver coin	17,113,266 05
Fractional currency	129 11
Minor coin	1,049,996 37
Awaiting reimbursement	2,602,332 40
	-,2,000 10
Total	\$23,600,781 18
Balance in general fund	87,313,762 51
RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEM	ENTS.

\$2.731.664 42 mered, but they were not the really depressing force. Less repayment of unexpended bai-Excess of ordinary receipts..... PUBLIC DEBT.

Ordinary receipts-

Money deposited to retire national bank \$290,000 00 United States bonds and certificates of Money paid for national bank notes

Excess of public debt receipts over 

## BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET.

Baltimore, Jan. 10.—CATTLE-Receipts for the week ended at noon to-day were 1,926 head, against 1,950 head last week. Seventy-four carloads on sale. Market generally 10c higher. Steers, good to prime heavy, 4.75a6,75; others, 3.50a4.70; heifers, 3.25a5,50; cows, 2.00a4.75; bulls, 3.00a5,00; fresh cows, 20.00a

## NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Mexican Central, ctfs ...

Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., National banks of Washington will nembers New York Stock Exchange, Hibbs Buildhold the annual metings of the stocking, 725 Fifteenth street northwest. holders to-day at noon, and immediately after the count of the votes, the directors Call money: Open, 51/2; high, 6; low, 51/2; close, 51/4. Am. A. C. Co. com..... Amalgamated Copper... Am. Beet Sugar com...

261/4 261/4 457/4 45 601/4 59 102 1001/6 66 65 123 1211/4

35% 52% 135

1531/4 170 481/4

49% 62% 150%

23 86¼ 91¾ 182 51¼

136% 114% 99% 27% 83

32% 75% 135 32%

167% 168%

CURB MARKET.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

New York, Jan. 10.-Bid and asked prices on gov

Greene Cananea.....

Nevada Consolidated......... Nevada-Utah M. & S. Corp...

Ray Consolidated

United Copper .... United Copper pfd.. Yukon Gold.....

4s. registered, 1925.....

January ...... 15.70
March ...... 15.95

25,200 00

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the most prosperous year in their existence. Larger earnings, increased dividend payments in several instances, and additions to the surplus funds, is the record of the year. This has its effect upon the price of the securities on the local stock exchange, the quotations of terday's Washington Stock Exchange: many of them being the highest ever known. The local bank stocks are in Georgetown Gas 5s. strong hands, having been bought up by Washington Gas is....... Washington Gas cert. 6s investors who retain them for the dividends. At no time during the past year | Capital Tract have large blocks of these stocks been Anacostia & Potomac 5s..... sold on the exchange. The dealings are City and Suburban 5s. usually in small amounts, rarely exceeding ten shares at a time. Yesterday Metropolitan 5e thirty-five shares of American Security and Trust stock were sold, and twentyfive of Union Trust, both of which trans-actions were larger than the ordinary. Potomac Electric Cons. 5s... The trade of three shares of Second National Bank was more in line with the usual order of things.

LOCAL FINANCIAL GOSSIP.

Trading on the local exchange vesterday was in good volume, though what might Washington Cold Storage 5 be called dull, as the price changes were only in fractions from the current rates.

Washington Railway & Electric com. Lanston Monotype came out rather Washington Railway & Electric pfd. freely at 94% to ½. Traction shares, and Norfolk & Washington Steamboat. Washington Gas were traded in nomi- Washington Cas. nally, and while the demand for bonds Georgeto was sufficiently active to arouse much interest, little trading resulted because of Merg the scarcity of the bonds offered.

### GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Quotations					
members of	the Chica	go Board	of T	rade, H	libb
Building, 725					
Chicago, J.	an. 10W1	neat has	again	assume	d
trading chara	acter with	the local	CTOWG	in the	1 37

11335 low point which held the market. Kansas City wired cancellation sales made to Texas. Cash prices 254 lere were steady at Saturday's figures. Local car 8252 lots, 237, with 432 estimated for to-morrow.

se hog movement and lower prices for same gave a lower opening to provisions. The selling East Washington Savings Bank.

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	in part from interests				
2	about a good recovery	and a	steady	closing.	Cas
	trade is dull.				
	WHEAT-			Low.	
ķ.	May	1.13%	1.14	1.13	1.13
	July	1.03%	1.03%	1.02%	1.63
	CORN-				
1	May	68%	68%	68	685
	July		68%	67%	681
	OATS-				
	May	47%	4736	47%	473
	July	44%	44%	4414	445
	PORK-				
	May	21.82	21.90	21.80	21,90
А	July	21.85	21.93	21.62	21,82
	LARD-				
	May	12.00	12.07	12.00	12.07
1	July				
	RIBS-				
	Mary	22.40	TT EO	22 60	XX 500

Nay 11.49 11.50 11.49 11 New York, Jan. 10.—WHEAT—Stronger; 1 trade. No. 1 Duluth, to arrive, L274; No. 2 f. o. b., nominal, 1.32; No. 2 hard, New York, f b. 1.234; No. 1 macaroni, 1.12%, f. o. b., N

### High. Low. Close. 15.72 15.65 15.00 16.02 15.06 15.13 Baltimore, Jan. 16.-WHEAT-Stock in elevators 16.19 16.19

769,066 bushels; shipments from elevators, 10,259 bush-13.17 els. Graded lots of No. 2 red affoat nominally at 1.25½ per bushel at the close. Settling prices were:

No. 2 red Western, 1.25½. No. 2 red 1.25½. No. 2

## WASHINGTON STOCK MARKET.

Sales-Regular call at 12 o'clock noon: Capital Traction 5s, \$1,000 at 114%, \$1,000 at 114%

Potomac Cons. 5s, \$2,600 at 102. Washington Railway and Electric pfd., 0 at 80%, 2 at 90%.

of most of the banks will meet, and elect officers for the ensuing year. In most of the banks it is expected that the old directors will be re-elected. Vacancies in the boards, whether by death, resignations, or other causes will be filled.

Washington banks have passed through the most prespace of the prospection of the most prespace of the prospection of the prospection

Washington Gas 4s. \$500 at 199. Greene Cananea. 100 at 11 3-16. Washington Railway and Electric pfd., 19 at 90%. Washington Gas, 50 at 78. Mergenthaler Linotype, 1 at 215. Capital Traction, 2 at 135%. Following are the bid and asked prices on yes-GAS BONDS.

RAILROAD BONDS. Washington Railway & Electric 4s... Washington, Alex, & Mt. Vernon 5s... MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

MINING STOCKS. NATIONAL BANK STOCKS Lincoln National Bank..

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS

Emerson Steam Pump ...

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 10.-Quotations furnished by

BUTTER-Creamery, extras, separator, 35%a37%; 

igher.)
DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, choice, young, per

GAME—Ducks, mallard, per pair, heavy-weight, 1629; blackhead, per pair, 30a49; whole deer, per 10214; bl. 16a18; venison saddles, per lb., 28a39; wild tur-life the seeks, pair lb., Ifal8.

GREEN FRUITS AND VEGETARIES And the seeks were sustained without effort. The latter than the seeks were sustained without effort.

tion, which gave the market another sensational set back. Drasjic selling, in other words, was at tributed to New Orleans, Philadelphia, Chicago, 2379,341 90 Liverpool, and Memphis. James A. Patten is 1,455,563 11 understood to have sold heavily again after, it is said, unloading on the clique last week, and then taking hold again at the drop. Room traders hammered, but they were not the really depressing force, 1,113,056 99 The effect of a bullish ginners report was disappointing.

145,168 41 Futures advanced 12 to 16 points, but lost it and declined 55 to 79, closing weak. Estimated \$967.887 68 sales, 900,000 bales.

## BALTIMORE GRAIN MARKET.

## NEW YORK PRODUCE.

HAY-Receipts, 239 tons; strong; light supply. Prime timothy, 1.07½al.10; No. 1, 1.65; No. 2, 97½a 1.00; No. 3, 99a92½. STRAW-Receipts, 30 tons; firm; limited supply.

Long rye, 8794390.

BEEF-Strong; more demand. Family, 16.00a16,50; packet, 12a13.

PORK-Steady; trade is quiet. Mess, 24.25a24,50; illy, 26,00a.27.00. family, 25,00a27.00.

LARD—Steady, but lifeless. Prime Western, 13.30; city, 12.75; refined Continent, 13.59; South American, 14.69; refined Brazilian, kegs, 15.69; oleostearine, 175a18; lard stearine, quiet; New York, 13a1342.

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09	New York, Jan. 10Miscellaneous bond qu
86%	Now Veels City 217 1077
****	New York City 4s, 1958
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02	Japanese 1st series 41/28
99	Republic of Cuba 4%s
03	San Paulo 5s
04	Adams Express 4s
in and	Allis-Chalmers 5s
80	American Cotton Oil 41/28
10	American Hide & Leather 6s
10	American Tel, & Tel, cvt. 4s
2000	American Tobacco 6s
	American Tobacco 4s
361/2	Ann Arhor 4s
42%	Armour & Co. real estate 41/25
901/2	A., T. & S. F. general 4s
FEER	A., T. & S. F. cvt. 5s
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65	Atlantic Coast Line 43
42	A. C. LL. & N. 48
	Baltimore & Obio 34s
16	Baltimore & Ohio gold 4s Baltimore & Ohio P., L. E. & W. Va. 4s Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern div. 3½s
91%	Baltimore & Ohio-P., L. E. & W. Va. 4s.,
	Battimere & Ohio Southwestern div. 34s
11%	Bethlehem Steel 5s
	Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s
93	Contain R. & P. 4/28
14	Central of Georgia con, 5s
75	Central of Georgia 24 inc.
V-2-X-8	Central Leather 5s
9314	Central of New Jersey 5g
12	Central Pacific 1st 4s
45	Chesapeake & Ohio con. 59
45 07	Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s
25	C., B. & Q. joint 4s
60	C. B. & Q. reg
20	C., M. & St. P. general 4s, series A
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331/2	C., R. I, & P. col. 4s. C., R. I, & P. col. 4s, series M. C., R. I, & P. col. 5s.
12	Colorado Industrial So da Sh #
19	Colorado & Southern 1st 4s
7	Delaware & Hudson and to
	Delaware & Hudson cvt. 4s. Denver & Rio Grande rfg. 5s
55%	Erie 1st con, 4s.
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	Illinois Central 4s, 1952
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0075	Lake Shows do: 1971
	Louisville & Nashville unified 4s.
	Manhattan Rallway 4s
****	Manhattan Railway 4s. Mercantile Marine 45s.
54	Michigan Central deb. 4s.
5%	M E & T 414

## LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

(Prices quoted as wholesale.) nothing.

OORN—Steady; inactive. Steamer mixed, 78%; new No. 2 elevator, 72%; new No. 2, f. o. b., 71%; No. 2 yellow, f. o. b., 72; No. 2, f. o. b., Pebroary to March shipments, at 70%. Exporters took nothing.

BUTTER—Creamry fancy, 38 to 38%; do., firsts, 33a %; do. of 32%; do., good, 2328; dairy, choice, 21a2; do., good, 23a24; store-packed, 22a24.

CHEESE—New York State factory, fancy flats, 17%; do., small, 17a11%; do., large, 18%; all.

DRESSED POCLTRY-Turkeys, choice, undrawn,

VEGETABLES-Potatoes, per bbl., 1.25al.75; swee

 SUNDRIES—Beeswax, 29a30; tallow, 6a6½; ginseng. 

## LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

GRAIN-Wheat, new, per bus., 1.06a1.20; corn, shelled, per bus., 75a/8; cob, 3.50a3.75; oats, Western, white, No. 2, per bus., 53a56; mixed, per bus., 50a54; bran, per ton, 25.00; middling, per ton, 27.00.

HAY AND STRAW-Hay, Western, No. 1, 18.00a 18.50; No. 2, 16.50a17.00; mixed, 16.00a16.50; loose at local scales, 14.00a17.00. Straw, rye, bundle, 16.50a 17.00; straw, rye, machine thrash, 8.00a9.00; straw, wheat, per ton, 6.00a6.50; straw, oat, per ton, 6.50a7.00.

New York, Jan. 10,-MILLFEED-Strong; small supply. Spring bran, 27.90a27.75; standard middlings, 27.50a27.75; city bran, 25.60, in bulk; Western reddeg, 32.25, to arrive; winter wheat bran, in 109og, 32.25, to arrive; winter wheat bran, in 109-pound sacks, to arrive, 27.75.

OATS—Steady; small supply. No. 2 white, 544a 55; No. 3 white, 534a54; No. 4 white, 524a53; natural and elipped white, on track, 525a545.

FLOUR—Firm; moderate inquiry. Kansas straights, 5.15a5.50, in sacks; soft straights, 5.40a5.65, in barrels; spring patents, 5.75a6.25, in barrels; spring clears, 4.75a5.00.

choice brands quoted at 4.20a4.60.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—New, to arrive, is quoted at 1.35a2.00, with quiet trade.

CORNMEAL—Steady; dealings moderate. Kilndried for export, 3.30a3.35; coarse meal, in bags,

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1	MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.	
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ı	New York, Jan. 10Miscellaneous bond quotat	ions:
ij	New York City 41/2s, 1957	109%
1	New York City 4s, 1958	100%
4	New York City 4s, 1959	100%
3	Japanese 1st series 41/28	95
9	Republic of Cuba 41/28	97%
g	San Paulo 5s	9619
J	Adams Express 4s	93 84%
	American Cotton Oil 41/28.	9714
1	American Hide & Leather 6s	
1	American Tel. & Tel. cvt. 4s	105
J	American Tobacco 6s	10017
1	American Tobacco 4s	78
j	Ann Arbor 4s.	78
	Armour & Co. real estate 41/25	
		180%
1	A., T. & S. F. cvt. 5s	121%
1	A., T. & S. F. evt. 4s	122%
d	A., T. & S. F. evt. 4s when is 1st instal nfd	1999
1	Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95
1	A. C. LL. & N. 4a	45414
1	Baltimore & Ohio 31/28	92%
4	Baitimore & Ohio gold 4s.	99
	Baltimore & Ohio-P., L. E. & W. Va. 48	92%
1	Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern div. 31/2s	9955
d	Bethlehem Steel 5s	
1	Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s	86%
ı	Buffalo R, & P. 4½s	100%
4	Central of Georgia con. 5s	
1	Central of Georgia 24 inc	83%
1	Central of New Jersey 5s	99%
d	Central Pacific 1st 4s	97.14
1	Chesapeake & Ohio con. 59	21.18
1	Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s	1095/
- 1	C., B. & Q. joint 4s	96%
	C., B. & Q. reg	961/2
1	C., M. & St. P. general 4s, series A	100%
1	C., M. & St. P. deb. 4s, 1934	93%
1	C., R. I. & P. rfg. 4s	9115
1	C., R. I. & P. col. 4s	81%
1	C., R. I. & P. col. 4s. series M.	9214
ı	C., R. I. & P. col. 5s	1,50%
1	Celerado Industrial 5s, 4.s 20 f.	62
ı	Colorado & Southern 1st 4s	96%
ı	Delaware & Hudson cvt. 4s	102
ı	Denver & Rio Grande rfg. 5s	
1	Erie 1st con, 4a	871/2
4	Erie cvt. 4s, series A	8134

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, Jan. 10.-Money on call at the stoc

TRUST COMPANY SOLD.

Dicks are 1b. 23; average, undrawn, mixed, 22; chickens, per lb., 18a17; chickens and hens, mixed, 18a15; hens, choice, per lb., 14a15; roosters, per lb., 18a10; ducks, 13a15; geese, per lb., 12a14.

GAME—Rabbits, per doz., 2.25a2.50; do., kifz, per doz., 75a1.00; quall, per doz., 7ancy, 2.25a1.00; do., umall, per doz., 2.25a2.50; wild turkey, 25a22; squirels, each, 5a5; opossums, each, 26a35; pheasants, 15a

potatoes, per bbl., new, 1.25al.50; yams, per bbl., 160al.25. GREEN FRUITS—Apples, loose, per bbl., 2.00a

made to-day that working control of the vanced prices were sustained without effort. The Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Comanced prices were sustained without enort. The puality of offerings from all sections is very incepular, Creamery specials, 36; creamery extras, 35; mountry held specials, 34; creamery held extras, 32½; process specials, 29; State dairy, finest, 34; though banking houses, and Lehman Western imitation creamery, firsts, 28; packing stock No. 1, 24½. 

### Porto Rican Legislature in Session Despite Rumors.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Jan. 10 .- The in sular legislature opened this morning in spite of the rumors that have been current to the effect that the lower house would refuse to legislate if President G. C. Ward and Attorney General H. E. Hoyt continued to act as members of the execitive council, which constitutes the upper branch of the executive body. Their atitude was attributed to the conflicts which occurred at the last session.

### erning the welfare of the island. Gov. Colton's message will be sent in co-morrow. to-morrow.

ABOLISH COURT CUSTOM. Ambassador Leishman.

of an old court custom, John G. A. Leish- tom. nan, the new American Ambassador to SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts for the week ended at noon to-day were 1,536 head, against 1,536 head last week. Light supply. Market higher, with a good clearance and the color of any were 1,530 head, against 1,536 head last week. Light supply. Market higher, with a good clearance and the color of any were 1,536 head, against 1,53 Italy, will not be formally presented to the

It was said to-day that there will be

peaceful co-operation on all matters con-

## FINANCIAL.

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Launch Drifted 600 Miles.

The United States Fruit Company's ceremonies. The custom in olden days was steamer Parismina, plying between Cenfor ambassadors accredited to the querinal tral American ports and New Orleans. after their presentation to the King and on her last trip picked up at sea and an audience with the Queen, to give an brought into New Orleans navy steam official reception, to which only persons launch No. 438. It had drifted about 600 miles. The launch belonged to the Cape were presented to the new Ambassador Cruz-Casilda surveying expedition and Capital and Surplus.... \$2,800,000 Resources Over............513,000,000

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